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L/LEI (CHOLLAND) (AKLUESNER)
INR/IAA (GBOHIGAN)
JUSTICE FOR OIA (PPETTY)
TREASURY FOR ERIN NEPHEW
INR/RES (RWARNER)
PASS TO CENTRAL AMERICAN CARIBBEAN BASIN COLLECTIVE

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SUBJECT: CORRECTED COPY: JAMAICA: DIPLOMATIC NOTE RECEIVED ON DECEMBER 15, 2009

REF: A. KINGSTON 731

- $1\ (U)$ This cable corrects the date on which the diplomatic note was received, please see paragraph 2.
- $\underline{\mathbb{1}}$ 2. (U) On December 15, CDA received the following diplomatic note, dated December 1, from the Minister of Justice Dorothy Lightbourne of the Ministry of Justice (MOJ):

(Begin Text of MOJ DIP NOTE)

Re: Request for extradition of Mark Clarke

I have the honour of addressing your Excellency on behalf of the Government of Jamaica. I refer to the captioned matter. In accordance with Article IX of the treaty I will require additional information as set out hereunder before I can properly consider the request as required by the provisions of the treaty and domestic legal requirements.

(a) Whether the evidence which is contained in the affidavit of James C. Nicholas was

presented to the Grand Jury which returned the indictment.

- (b) If the answer to (a) is no then we are requesting a copy of the evidence which was presented before the Grand Jury and which formed the basis for the charge laid in the indictment.
- (c) Whether any scientific analysis of the substance alleged to be marijuana was done and whether the results of the said analysis were placed before the Grand Jury.

(d) If the answer to (c) is yes we are requesting a copy of the results of the said analysis.

We look forward to receiving the above mentioned information which will enable me to expedite my deliberations so as to fully comply with my obligations under the treaty and Jamaican law. Should you have any queries in relation to the above please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please accept Excellency the assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours truly

Dorothy C. Lightbourne, Q.C.

Minister of Justice

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(End Text)

13. (U) Post requests that Department coordinate response and notes that these queries are similar to those outlined in the Government of Jamaica (GOJ)'s response to the USG's Coke extradition request (Ref A).
Parnell